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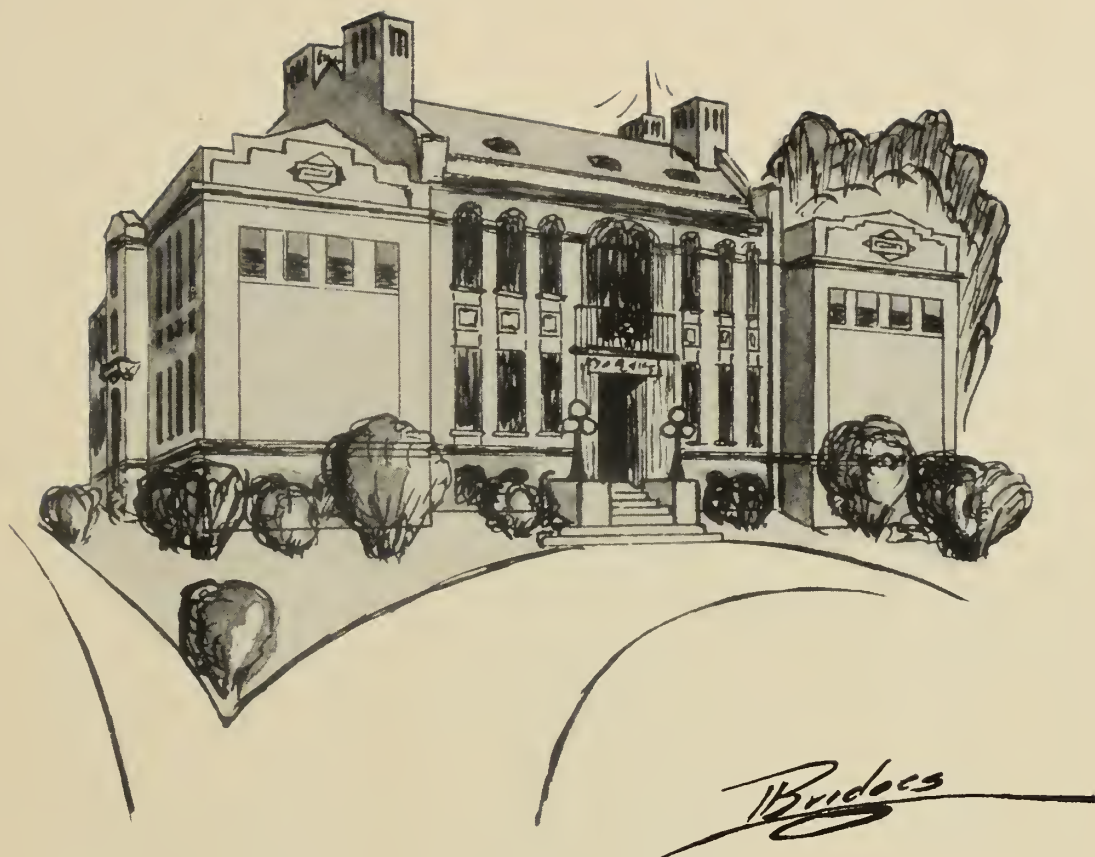
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THE 1947 GOLDBUG

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AMHERST, MASSACHUSETTS**

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The staff wishes to express its sincere gratitude to all those who submitted pictures to the "Goldbug".

“This valley and this village that we love”

“HEART o'TOWN”

Frank P. Rand



Many of us are embarking on a new career, the rebuilding of a torn and troubled world. Amherst has played such an important part in the forming of our background, habits, and character, that we feel the symbolism expressed in this "Goldbug" will help immortalize Amherst and its high school in our memories. Let us never forget this peaceful hamlet in the Connecticut Valley, and may we strive to make international living correspond to the mode of life we have found here.



*I can not say, and I will not say
That he is dead! He is just away!*

*With a cheery smile, and a wave of the hand
He has wandered into an unknown land. . .*

*. . . Think of him still as the same, I say;
He is not dead—he is just away!*

From "Afterwhiles"

The Bobbs-Merrill Company.



Straight and strong the young tree stood,
Held high its graceful arms of wood
In praise to God.

Beneath its kind and cooling shade,
A group of children long had played
And loved the tree.

A cruel disease spread through its frame,
And yet its shade remained the same,
Its faith in God.

And like this tree, we saw him fall
Courageous, kind, and loved by all,
But finally free.

Now, like this boy we call our friend,
Whose faith smiled through unto the end,
We strive to be.

TO TED - WE DEDICATE THIS BOOK



Ted Madden, like most of us, was not a grind, or a bookworm. It was not perhaps so much that he disliked books, as that he liked people. He was always interested in the rest of us. Like a good many boys, he enjoyed mechanical things—shop courses, manual training mechanical drawing, and engineering studies.

One could hardly call him a natural, outstanding athlete but he played a good game of football, because he was intelligent, quick-thinking, and persistent; a player who didn't need a coach to drive him, but one who went into a game fearlessly. We never quite realized how fearless he was, until we learned how he faced the terrible disease that took him away—faced it with never a trace of fear. Strong men have broken under lighter burdens, but Ted never broke, nor gave an inch—yet he was only a boy.

Ted never tried to attract attention to himself. Maybe that was because he was thoughtful, and kind. He wanted the other fellow to have a chance. He always seemed to adapt himself to those around him—it was easy for the rest of us to get along with him. We liked him,—because he liked us, and was himself warm and friendly. He made us feel that he

liked us all; he wasn't "choosey" or "cliquey"; he couldn't have been snobbish if he had tried. His quiet, warm smile showed him as he really was.

As he was with people, so he was with activities—too much an all-round fellow to go all out for any one thing. He liked all the jolly, wholesome things. He joined the Model Airplane Club and the Hi-Y; he was an Air Scout and a Life Scout. He had a steady sense of balance that kept him from being one-sided.

This sounds as though Ted had all the time he wanted, but he didn't. Five years ago, when he was only 13, his father was killed, and Ted had to begin then to be the man of the family for his mother and the three younger children. All his spare time was spent in working; work which made of him a man while he was yet a boy. It would have hardened and hurt some boys, but not Ted. It seemed only to make him more quiet and steady, more dependable and interested in others, and, above all, always kind.

As we look back now, his kindness and his courage seem the two things we shall remember longest about Ted. He made himself seem like the rest of us, and yet he was more unlike us than we ever realized. For he simply didn't know how to be cruel or even unkind. And he never backed away from a tough assignment—not even when he knew he faced the toughest one any boy or man can ever have to face. His kindness, his friendly handshake, and personality will always be with us, his classmates. We shall never forget Ted Madden.





AFTER THREE YEARS—

THESE — OUR LEADERS



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DONALD BAKER ALDRICH

Gregg

the shy guy with the good looks . . . a lover of music . . . a whimsical twist in his smile . . .
Future plans: undecided. Clubs: Projectionists, 1. Sports: Football, 1; Swimming, 1.
November 22, 1929

MARIANTHY ANDREWS

"mud"

the devilish, dancing dimples . . . easy-going spirit . . . life in her laughter . . . the Lord's prayer in Greek . . .
Future plans: College. Clubs: Tri-S, 1,2,3; French, 3. Music: Chorus, 2,3. Sports: girls' sports, 3. Goldbug: 3.
December 1, 1929

JOAN ELIZABETH BAILEY

Jo

pleasant manner . . . gentle spirit . . . a friendly smile . . . human kindness . . . a touch of force beneath her shy appearance . . .
Future plans: College. Clubs: Jr. Red Cross, 1; French, 3. Music: Chorus, 1,3. Sports: girls' sports, 1.
February 12, 1929

MARJORIE PIERCE BALL

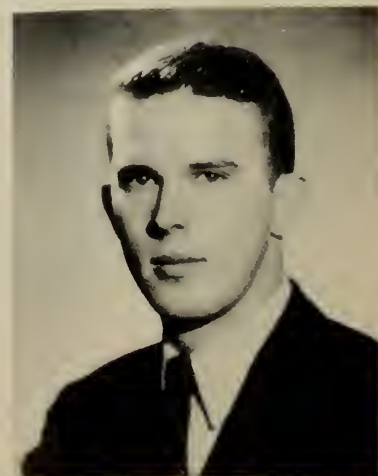
Margie

the gal with domestic inclinations . . . surrounded by a silent, peaceful atmosphere . . . modest maiden . . .
Future plans: Commercial College.
October 12, 1929

HUBERT WALDO BELL

Hugh

the quiet competence of responsibility . . . a Chesterfield in the heart . . . man of many puns . . . the scientist . . . the red-dy kilowatt . . .
Future plans: College. Clubs: Projectionists, 1; Camera, 1; Hi-Y, 2,3; Air Scouts, 1,2,3, squadron pilot, 3; Student Council, 2. Music: Band, 1. Sports: Swimming, 1,2,3; "A", 1,2,3, captain, 3. Dramatics: Interclass plays, 2,3; Jr. class play, 2,3. Graphic: 2,3. Goldbug: 3, co-editor. Class vice-president, 2.
October 8, 1929



LOUIS HALSIE BIAS

Lou

the modest athlete . . . a twist, a duck — the streak that escapes all eyes . . . his name a symbol of A.H.S. sports . . .
Future plans: undecided. Clubs: Hi-Y, 2,3. Sports: Basketball, 1,2; "A", 1,2; captain, 2; Football, 1,2; "A", 1,2; co-captain, 2; Baseball, 1,2; "A", 1,2. Goldbug: 3. Class vice-president, 1.

May 23, 1927



DOROTHY ANNE BLAIR

Dottie

the selfless ease of bounding exuberance . . . an eternal giggle . . . blue eyes of mischievousness . . . blunt opinions laughingly expressed . . .
Future plans: College. Clubs: Tri-S, 1,2,3; Dramatic, 1; French, 2,3; Student Council, 1. Music: Chorus, 1,2,3; Orchestra, 1; Musical, 1. Dramatics: Jr. class play, 3. Graphic: 3. Goldbug: 3, co-editor.

April 1, 1929



JOHN FRANCIS CANAVAN

Crusher

the "Master of ceremonies" . . . the crooner . . . the late arriver . . . the sacroiliac breaker on the dance floor . . . "Grande Scott" . . .
Future plans: College. Clubs: Dramatic, 1; Hi-Y, 3; Debating, 1,2,3; Pro-Merito, 2,3; Student Council, 2. Music: Musical, 1. Dramatics: Interclass plays, 1,2; Jr. class play, 3. Graphic: 1,2; co-editor, 2. Class president, 2.

September 19, 1930



JANE MARIE CAVANAUGH

Jane

a driving ambition . . . the Jenny Lind of the shower room . . . a gal with revolutionary ideas . . .

Future plans: Nurse. Clubs: Dramatic, 1; Tri-S, 1,2,3; Jr. Red Cross, 2; French, 2. Sports: girls' sports, 1,2,3. Music: Chorus, 1,2,3; Musical, 1. Dramatics: Jr. class play, 2. Graphic: 2,3. Goldbug: 3.

September 6, 1929



WALTER JOHN CISLO

Cis'

the non-partisan athlete . . . another shy smile . . . a neat dresser . . . his interest is in the sky . . .

Future plans: Work. Clubs: Model Airplane, 1,2; Student Council, 2,3. Sports: Football, 2.

February 13, 1930





WILLIAM WALTER CLARK

"Bill"

"Mighty Mouse", especially on the football field . . . a live wire of sparking energy . . . the little man with big ideas . . .

Future plans: Truck Driver. Sports: Football, 1,2,3; "A", 2,3; Baseball, 2,3.

April 15, 1929



JOHN MICHAEL CONNELLY

J. C.

lengthy legs . . . camera-man on the Smith College faculty . . . sandy-red hair . . . "variety is the spice of life" . . .

Future plans: Air Corps. Clubs: Projectionists, 1,2,3, sec-treas., 2; pres. 3; Model Airplane, 1. Music: Band, 2,3; Orchestra, 3; Musical, 1. Dramatics: Inter-class plays, 1,2; Jr. class play, 2. Goldbug: 3.

October 11, 1929



HERMAN CORREALE

Hermie

slick back the curls — for the girls . . . the dashing, daring dude . . . all out for athletics . . .

Future plans: College. Sports: Basketball, 1,2,3; "A", 2,3; Football, 1,2,3; "A", 2,3; Baseball, 1,2,3; "A", 1,2,3.

September 14, 1928



FRANCES LORENA COYNE

Franny

always a co-operative, helping hand . . . lively spirit bubbling from within . . . a quick, friendly smile . . .

Future plans: Nursing. Clubs: Jr. Red Cross, 1. Sports: girls' sports, 2. Music: Chorus, 1,3.

February 6, 1929



LUELLA MARY COYNE

"Lou"

the other half of an inseparable pair . . . "Two on the aisle, please" . . . the golden braids . . . a cheery smile . . .

Future plans: undecided. Clubs: Jr. Red Cross, 1.

February 6, 1929

JEANETTE ALICE CRUMP

"Net"

a soft friendliness . . . the force of intelligence
 . . . the mellow voice of the alto section . . .
 a calm appearance in action and expression . .
 Future plans: undecided. Music: Chorus,
 1,2,3.

August 28, 1929



RICHARD DEWEY CUSHMAN

Dick

the dark-room guy . . . the mighty sportsman
 . . . the laboratory experimentalist . . . the
 sleeper by day . . . monotone of the English
 class . . .

Future plans: Draftsman. Clubs: Projection-
 ists, 1,2,3; Model Airplane, 1,2, vice-president, 2.

August 19, 1929



SALLY DEWEY CUTLER

Sally

the artistic touch . . . the demure damsel
 . . . shyness of a kitten . . . always some-
 thing to add . . . an adorable, friendly smile
 for everyone . . .

Future plans: College. Clubs: Dramatic, 1;
 Tri-S, 1,2,3; French, 3. Music: Chorus, 3.
 Graphic: 2,3, business manager, 2, 3. Goldbug: 3.

November 9, 1929



JOAN DAVENPORT

Joan

vacillating . . . her nose usually to the
 intellectual grindstone . . . the fender bender
 . . . what's the formula now — $H O^2$. . .
 a Frenchie future . . .

Future plans: College. Clubs: Dramatic, 1;
 Tri-S, 1,2,3; French, 2,3. Music: Chorus, 2,3.
 Dramatics: Jr. class play, 2. Graphic: 1,3.
 Goldbug: 3.

October 10, 1929



JOHN FRANCIS DOHERTY

"Smacko"

Smack and Sink — the twosome . . . a quiet
 manner . . . the polite gestures of a gentle-
 man . . . load up the Plymouth!!! . . .

Future plans: Uncle Sam. Sports: Basketball,
 1: Baseball, 2,3.

November 1, 1929

BARBARA ANN DONOGHUE

Bad

Irish with the red hair . . . "Cheer for old Amherst! !" . . . a bell rings in her mind . . . a good chum, always with a ready smile . . . Future plans: undecided. Clubs: Tri-S, 1,2,3; Aesculapius, 2. Music: Chorus, 1. Sports: girls' sports, 1,2,3; Cheerleading, 1,2,3, co-captain, 3. Graphic: 2,3.

March 7, 1929



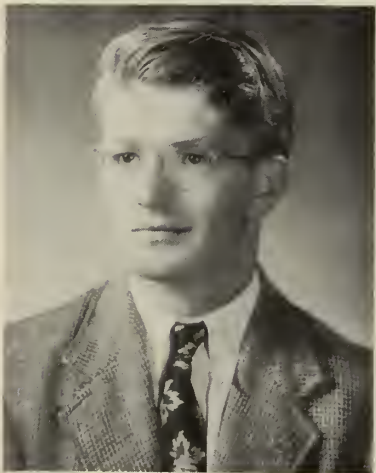
CHARLIE EDWARD DRAKE

Red

the athlete of endless exuberance and energy . . . a grin for his troubles. . . a democratic spirit . . .

Future plans: undecided. Clubs: Projectionists, 1,2,3, sec-treas., 2,3; Hi-Y, 2,3. Sports: Basketball, 1,2,3; "A", 2,3; Football, 1,2,3; "A", 1,2,3; Baseball, 1,2,3; "A", 2,3. Goldbug: 3.

October 11, 1929



GENEVIEVE FRANCES DROSDAL

Gene

an easy-going atmosphere about her . . . the skillfully waved coiffure . . . the eternal smile of congeniality . . . a deep laugh . . .

Future plans: Hairdresser. Clubs: Tri-S, 1,2,3. Sports: girls' sports, 3.

February 9, 1929



ANN NEWBOLD ELDER

Ann

a smile in her eyes . . . efficiency and responsibility . . . quiet, gentle manner . . . an aura of light around her . . . "Little Annie" . . . quick in conversation . . .

Future plans: College. Clubs: Dramatic, 1; Tri-S, 1,2,3; Debating, 1,3; Pro-Merito, 2,3; French, 2,3. Sports: girls' sports, 1,2,3. Dramatics: Jr. classplay, 2. Graphic: 3. Goldbug: 3.

June 7, 1930



JOHN ENNIS

Jack

the strong, silent type . . . "Mighty Nimrod" . . . the deep, spreading blush . . .

Future plans: Service. Clubs: Hi-Y, 2,3. Sports: Baseball, 2.

October 27, 1929



JOAN FRANCE

Joanie

common sense and plain expression of ideas
... competence answerable to calm efficiency
... a smile of sincerity ... "Hey, girlie,
hey" ... "Ahhh, yes" ...

Future plans: College. Clubs: Social Studies,
3; Tri-S, 1,2,3; French, 3. Music: Chorus, 3.
Graphic: 1,2,3, co-editor, 3. Goldbug: 3.

January 24, 1930



LILLIAN MAY FROST

Lil

From the top of Pelham hill... the lively girl
about town... a mane of blond hair... a
photogenic face... a well-dated gal...

Future plans: Business College.

February 8, 1929



ROBERT ARTHUR GARRABRANTS

Garry

the flying Dutchman... a farmer with modern
ideas... his dreams are getting better all the
time...

Future plans: undecided.

April 25, 1929



MICHAEL FRANCIS GARVEY

Mike

a rousing, Irish temper... head in the clouds
... the athlete spurred on by a love of the
game...

Future plans: undecided. Clubs: Hi-Y, 2,3.
Sports: Basketball, 1,2,3; "A", 1,2,3; Football,
2,3, "A", 3; Baseball, 1, 2, 3; "A", 1,2,3.

March 8, 1929



MARGUERITE ANN GORDON

"Peg"

do a good deed daily... the force behind any
property committee... a good friend to a
good many...

Future plans: Work. Clubs: Social Studies, 3;
Dramatic, 1; Tri-S, 1,2,3; Aesculapius, 2.
Music: Chorus, 1,2,3; Musical, 1. Sports:
girls' sports, 3; girls' basketball, 3. Dramatics:
Interclass plays, 1,2; Jr. Class play, 1,2,3.
Goldbug: 3.

December 23, 1928

GEORGE REED GOVERS

"Shorty"

drugstore cowboy... lover of boats... a smooth dresser... "Little Boy Blue"...

Future plans: Uncle Sam. Clubs: Hi-Y, 3. Sports: Basketball, 2; Baseball, 2. Transfer from Darien, Conn., 2.

August 27, 1929



MARGARET ELIZABETH GRADY

Peggy

always a laugh... "Fight to the finish" the busy little bustler... the girl of the sports page... "Crying the blues"...

Future plans: Secretary. Clubs: Tri-S, 1,2,3; Student Council, 2,3, sec., 2. Sports: girls' sports, 1,2,3; girls' basketball, 3; Cheerleading, 1,2,3, co-captain, 3. Goldbug: 3.

February 1, 1930



EMORY ELLSWORTH GRAYSON

Em

half a Chevie is better than none?... the dude of the Cottage Street gang... interests south of town...

Future plans: undecided. Sports: Basketball, 2; Swimming, 2; Baseball, 2.

October 23, 1929



ELIZABETH BARBARA GREEN

Libby

a carefree, fun loving gal... well-dressed and well-dated... a lover of horses... the noon trip home...

Future plans undecided. Clubs: Tri-S, 1,2,3.

November 7, 1929



DOROTHY AUGUSTA HASKINS

Dot

the attractive girl in a gym suit... crush on a Chrysler... kindness, consideration, and congeniality...

Future plans: College. Clubs: Tri-S, 1,2,3. Music: Chorus, 1,2; Band, 2; Orchestra, 2; Musical, 1. sports: 2,3; girls' basketball, 2,3.

July 9, 1929



ETHEL ELIZABETH HAWLEY

Ethel

the popcorn vendor at the Amherst theater
...a capable home ec. girl...a frank word of
defense...

Future plans: Work. Clubs: Jr. Red Cross, 1.
February 18, 1928



SUSAN OLIVE HEATH

Sue

a spirit of much fun...the athletic type...
next in line at Jackson & Cutler...a lover of
homework?...

Future plans: School Clubs: Tri-S, 3.
March 23, 1929



RUDOLPH JOHN HRYNYSHYN

Rudy

68 pounds of dynamite...little man with
booming voice...the guy with the onions...
a mischievous grin and a twinkle in his eye...
Future plans: Work.

May 23, 1929



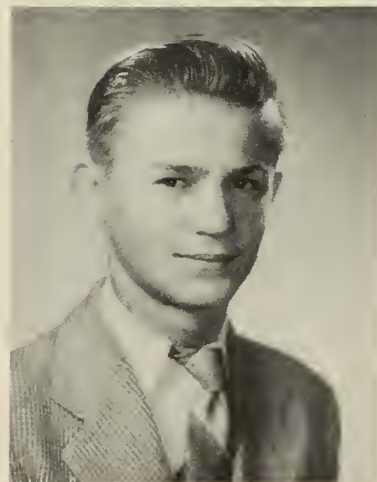
PRISCILLA MARGARET HUMMEL

Hum

an able author with athletic abilities...
smile of amusement...a likeable gal with lots
of spirit...

Future plans: Secretary. Clubs: Dramatic, 1,
Tri-S, 1,2,3. Sports: girls' sports, 1,2,3; girls'
basketball, 2,3. Dramatics: Interclass plays,
2. Graphic: 3. Goldbug: 3.

November 22, 1929



MITCHELL ALEXANDER JACQUE JR.

"Mitch"

class wit, sometimes unknowingly... raw
eggs, sour cream-the guy's hungry!!... perfect
coordination in the swimming pool...

Future plans: College. Clubs: Projectionists,
2,3; Hi-Y, 3; Air Scouts, 3. Sports: Swimming
1, 2,3; "A" 1,2,3.

November 28, 1928





MARJORIE RUTH JANTZ

Margie

a sunny, easy-going disposition... the Jantz smile... an outdoor gal, able in athletics... a hard worker...

Future plans: Psychometrist. Clubs: Pro-Merito, 2,3; secretary, 3; Jr. Red Cross, 2; French, 2. Sports: girls' sports, 1,2,3; girls' basketball, 2,3.

February 13, 1929



JANE BARTON JEWETT

Janie

a laugh or a praise for anything... eyes lost behind her smile... a little car for such a long trip...

Future plans: Receptionist. Clubs: Dramatic, 1, Tri-S; 1,2,3; French, 2,3; Student Council, 1. Music: Chorus, 2,3; Musical, 1. Dramatics: Jr. class play, 2.

April 13, 1929



DOROTHY VIRGINIA JOHANSSON

Ginny

a newcomer at A.H.S. in her senior year... hails from Bolton, Massachusetts... vivacious blonde... a gal with rhythm... the mermaid of the deep...

Future plans: Air Hostess. Transfer from Hudson High School, 3.

December 22, 1929



PRISCILLA ALDEN JONES

Priss

a quiet miss of natural kindness... willingness and aptitude... known for the many sweaters she knits...

Future plans: College. Clubs: Tri-S, 1,2,3; Jr. Red Cross, 1,2, sec., 2. Music: Chorus, 1,2,3. Graphic: 1,2.

February 18, 1929



MARIE CONSTANCE JOY

Ma - rie

an effervescent sense of humor... natural flair for poetry... a happy-go-lucky personality... taste for excitement...

Future plans: undecided.

December 5, 1929

GRACE MARIE KELLOGG

Gracie

overcome by giggles . . . Kellogg and Heath . . . the good old fighting spirit . . . another girl athlete . . .

Future plans: Dental Assistant. Clubs: Tri-S, 1,2,3.

August 18, 1929



BENJAMIN NEWTON KIGHTLINGER

Ben

a reserved gentleman . . . hidden sense of humor . . . super-intelligence retained by study . . . a large vocabulary . . .

Future plans: College. Clubs: Social Studies, 3, pres., 3; Hi-Y, 3; Pro-Merito, 2,3, pres., 3.

December 22, 1929



IRENE FRANCES KOKOSKI

Irena

a good student of the commercial line of subjects . . . jolly gal with lots of pep . . . ability to get along with everyone . . . helpful and cooperative . . .

Future plans: undecided.

March 10, 1930



DOROTHY CAROLINE KOLASINSKI

Dotty

a sincere smile of friendship . . . well-mannered attitude . . . a helping hand . . .

Future plans: undecided. Music: Chorus, 1. Sports: girls' sports, 2.

February 10, 1929



ELSIE ELEANOR KOZLOSKY

Holly

attractiveness and intelligence go hand in hand . . . a nice disposition revealed in her smile . . . a conscientious and cooperative business manager . . .

Future plans: Secretarial School. Sports: girls' sports, 1. Graphic: 3.

July 13, 1930



JOHN LARSON

Red

the mad scientist . . . flying low . . . president of the detention room gang . . . always a new adventure to be found . . .

Future plans: College. Dramatics: Inter-class plays, 2; Jr. class play, 2. Transfer from Ames, Iowa, 1.

August 4, 1928

JOAN BEVERLY LASHWAY

Joan

quiet Joan with the shy smile . . . a speaker of soft expression . . . such a large family . . . those gorgeous brown eyes . . .

Future plans: undecided.

July 5, 1929



HARRY LAUDER

Harry

the sign of the flying red horse . . . an apt stage crewman . . . athletic ability . . . appreciates Southern hospitality . . .

Future plans: undecided. Sports: Football, 1, 2, 3; "A" 2, 3. Dramatics: Jr. class play, 2.

December 28, 1929



FREDERICK LEROY

Fred

a dynamo of action and efficiency . . . a hand in every interest . . . the great orator . . . amazing sense of humor . . . "this town is sick with tradition" . . .

Future plans: undecided. Clubs: Social Studies, 3; Dramatic, 1; Hi-Y, 2, 3, sec. treas., 3; Debating, 1, 2, 3, pres., 3; French, 3. Music: Chorus, 1, 2, 3; Musical, 1. Sports: baseball, 2; "A", 2; manager, 2. Dramatics: Interclass plays, 1, 2; Jr. class play, 2, 3. Goldbug: 3. Graphic: 1, 2, 3; co-editor, 3.

August 7, 1929



FRANCIS BRAINARD LYMAN

F. Lyman

future dairyman . . . the South Amherst gang . . . the noontime secret drag . . .

Future plans: Farm.

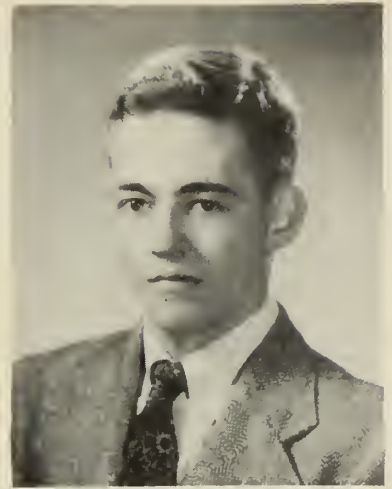
May 15, 1929

ROBERT DEWEY MacLEAY

Mac

with a powerful sneeze he shook the building
... his classes teach the power of sleep ... a
phys. ed. major ...
Future plans: undecided.

July 23, 1929



THEODORE MADDEN

an easy going guy with jovial expression ...
an interest in football ... Mr. Swift's car is
date-handy when it happens to be Betty ...
Clubs: Hi-Y, 2,3; Air Scouts, 2,3. Sports:
football, 1,2; "A", 2.

January 28, 1928

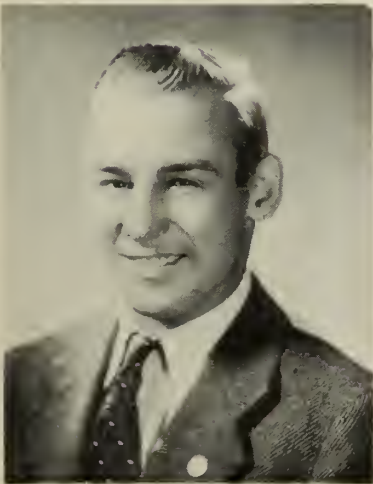


MICHAEL EDWARD MAHAR

Mike

N.E.L.C.O., Ziomek and Mahar managers ...
one of those lucky guys who is usually pretty
happy ... hide and seek with Miss Field ...
Future plans: Aviation Electrician. Clubs:
Hi-Y, 2,3. Sports: Football, 1,2; "A" 2;
manager, 2.

February 11, 1929



JOHN STANLEY MALINOSKI

Johnnie

the smile that flutters the female heart ...
the popular, good-looking athlete ... a flock
of friends and admirers ... "Liz" ...
Future plans: undecided. Clubs: Hi-Y, 2,3;
vice-pres., 2, pres., 3. Sports: Basketball,
1,2,3; "A", 1,2,3; captain, 3; Football, 1,2,3;
"A", 1,2,3; co-captain, 3.

January 26, 1929



MARY MAGDELINE MARCINOWSKI

Mary

a rare fourth-year Latin student ... a quiet
but strong intelligence ... a friendly smile ...
Future plans: College. Music: Chorus, 1.

August 7, 1929



ALBERTA LOUISE MARVELL

Alberta

a present interest in home economics — a future use, undoubtedly . . . an apt student of Miss Hale . . . a shy, quiet girl with blond hair . . .

Future plans: Secretary. Clubs: Tri-S, 1,2,3.
May 10, 1929



CARLEY THEODORE MATUSZKO

Kepper

the boy who carries the height of the class . . . Kepper and his gang — the Meadow Street Masters . . . a powerful cog in the athletic wheel . . .

Future plans: undecided. Sports: Basketball, 1,2,3; "A", 2,3; Football 2,3; "A", 2,3. Class vice-president, 3.

October 19, 1930



FRANCES ETHEL McKEEMAN

Mac

send us a telegram . . . the cute, friendly gal from the south of town . . . a personality dubs her as date-bait . . .

Future plans: Work. Clubs: Tri-S, 1,2,3; Student Council, 1. Music: Chorus, 2,3. Sports: girls' sports, 1; Cheerleading, 1,2.

March 13, 1929

EDITH MAE McKEMMIE

Edie Mae

our trusted treasurer throughout high school . . . a friendly greeting for everyone . . . efficiency and capability . . . a perfect little housewife . . .

Future plans: undecided. Clubs: Tri-S, 1,2,3, sec-treas., 1, vice-pres., 2, pres., 3. Music: Chorus, 1,2,3; Orchestra, 1; Musical, 1. Gold-bug: 3. Class sec-treas., 1,2,3.

January 22, 1929



HELEN MIECZKOWSKI

Mitchie

the spry basketball player . . . an artist, especially for biology! . . . sincere friendship goes a long way . . . a vivacious sense of humor . . .

Future plans: Office Work. Clubs: Tri-S, 3. Sports: girls' sports, 3; girls' basketball, 2,3; captain, 3.

March 30, 1929



MALCOLM CARL MODRZAKOWSKI

Mudro

a ready word for anything . . . jovial in expression and action . . . his love is in his "Puppy" . . . an expert on the art of dating . . . a hearty football player . . .

Future plans: undecided. Clubs: Hi-Y, 2,3. Sports: Football, 1,2,3; "A", 1,2,3; co-captain, 3. Class president, 1.

September 15, 1929



MARILYN MONTAGUE

Monty

the devilish giggles . . . never without the dimples . . . the woman behind the wheel . . . her heart is in Korea . . . our woman president . . . listen to her sing . . .

Future plans: undecided. Clubs: Dramatic, 1; Tri-S, 1,2,3; Outing, 1; French, 2,3. Sports: girls' sports, 1; girls basketball, 3, manager, 3. Music: Chorus, 1,2,3; Band, 2. Dramatics: Interclass plays, 1,2. Graphic: 2,3. Class president, 3. Goldbug: 3.

March 15, 1930



CHARLES JACOB MOSAKEWICZ

Chic

the battleworn soldier of the football field . . . the farmer . . . the idol of the younger boys . . . ringleader of the South Amherst gang . . .

Future plans: Farming. Clubs: Student Council, 1,2. Sports: Football, 2,3; "A", 2,3; Baseball, 1,2,3; "A", 2,3.

November 15, 1928



FRANCES JEAN MUELLER

Fran

Shh!! Be quiet — here comes Frannie . . . watch the knitting needles fly . . . quiet as a mouse but with stubborn ideas . . . one often wonders what she's thinking . . .

Future plans: undecided.

April 8, 1929



JOHN GILBERT NEYLON

Jack

a friendly boy with a joke for all . . . always ready to take a chance . . . "A Ladies' Man?"

Future plans: Navy. Transfer from Technical, Springfield, Mass. . . .

May 10, 1930





JEROME JOSEPH OSTROWSKI

Pete

another hard working farmer . . . peering
over the windshield of the car . . . a man's
man . . . friendly spirit . . .

Future plans: undecided.

November 21, 1930

MARY ELLEN PAPPAS

"Pappy"

the individualist with radical ideas . . . the
piercing giggle of a funloving gal . . . wearer
of the green . . .

Future plans: College. Clubs: Social Studies,
3; Tri-S, 1,2,3; Debating, 1; Pro-Merito, 2,3;
French, 2,3; pres., 3. Sports: girls' sports,
1,2,3; girls' basketball, 2. Dramatics: Jr.
class play, 2. Graphic: 3. Goldbug: 3.

July 17, 1930



KATHLEEN PATNAUDE

Kitty

the ticket lady at the Cinema . . . reality in
her art . . . an honest friendliness . . .
dependable . . . nary an enemy . . .

Future plans: undecided. Clubs: Dramatic, 1;
Tri-S, 1,2,3. Music: Chorus, 3. Sports: girls'
sports, 1,3; girls' basketball, 3. Goldbug: 3.

December 15, 1928



PRISCILLA MAE PEARL

Pris

a hail from Pelham . . . the gremlin artist . . .
a sweet, friendly smile . . . lover of gooey
sundaes . . . lots of pep and fun . . .

Future plans: College. Clubs: Tri-S, 2,3;
Pro-Merito, 2,3; French, 2,3; Student Council,
3, sec., 3. Music: Chorus, 2,3; Musical, 2.
Sports: girls' sports, 2,3. Graphic: 3. Trans-
fer from Middletown, Conn., 2.

July 3, 1929



MARION ISABELLE PEASE

Peasie

an artist of the piano . . . uncles and aunts
and cousins by the dozens . . . a quiet girl
with lots of intelligence . . .

Future plans: Nurse. Clubs: Dramatic, 1;
Tri-S, 1,2,3. Music: Musical, 1; Chorus, 1,2,
3; Band, 3. Dramatics: Interclass plays, 2.

August 26, 1929



CONSTANCE ELIZABETH PETROSKI

Connie

a very unprejudiced lady . . . a sincere kindness and interest in people . . . a good debater . . . sparkling vivaciousness . . .

Future plans: College. Clubs: Social Studies, 3; Tri-S, 1,2,3; Debating, 2,3; French, 2,3; Student Council, 3, pres., 3.

August 3, 1929



ANNETTE RITA PICOTTE

Annette

an interest in library work . . . a sweet, quiet personality . . . a pretty face set with soft brown eyes . . .

Future plans: Telephone Operator. Clubs: French, 2. Transfer from Classical High, Springfield, Mass., 2.

August 4, 1930



IRENE MARY POTYRALA

Irene

perpetual smile . . . happy-go-lucky gal from Sunderland . . . a good friend to all . . . doll of the dance floor . . .

Future plans: undecided. Music: Chorus, 1,2,3.

February 27, 1929



BARBARA ANN PRINCE

Barby

starry eyes . . . the girl with the baton . . . a devilish imp . . . clear soprano voice . . . a future vocation as a music teacher . . . Irish temper . . .

Future plans: College. Clubs: Dramatic, 1; Tri-S, 1,2,3, treas., 3; French, 2,3; Student Council, 2, pres., 2. Music: Chorus, 1,2,3; Orchestra, 3; Band, 2,3; Musical, 1.

November 11, 1928



MALCOLM HOLMES RICE

Mac

get the motorcycle oiled up . . . reel it around again . . . a friendly "Hi" for all . . . the glistening watch crystal . . .

Future plans: Electrician. Clubs: Projectionists, 1,2,3. Music: Chorus, 2,3. Dramatics: Interclass plays, 2.

July 25, 1928



MARGARET LOUISE RUSSELL

Peggy

vivacious . . . a cute gal dressed in snappy clothes . . . Peggy and Libby . . . the secretary of the detention room . . .

Future plans: Secretarial School. Clubs: Tri-S, 1,2,3; Debating, 1,2,3, sec., 3.

February 23, 1929

HELEN ELIZABETH SACCO

Helen

the pixie of the typewriter . . . that long hair . . . one of our competent office girls . . . off to the square dance . . .

Future plans: Secretary. Clubs: Jr. Red Cross, 1.

July 10, 1929



HARRIET ELIZABETH SANCTUARY

Harriet

a peaceful atmosphere surrounds her . . . that gorgeous wavy hair . . . a smile sparkles in her eyes . . . "Down by the Old Mill Stream" . . . Future plans: Nurse. Sports: girls' sports, 1. Music: Chorus, 2.

December 4, 1929



RUTH ANNE SCHOONMAKER

Ruthie

"There's no place like home" — but where is it? . . . the good Samaritan . . .

Future plans: Child Psychologist. Clubs: Dramatic, 1, sec-treas., 1; Tri-S, 1,3; French, 3. Music: Chorus, 1,3; Musical, 1. Graphic, 3. Goldbug: 3. Junior year at Banning, Calif.

July 28, 1930



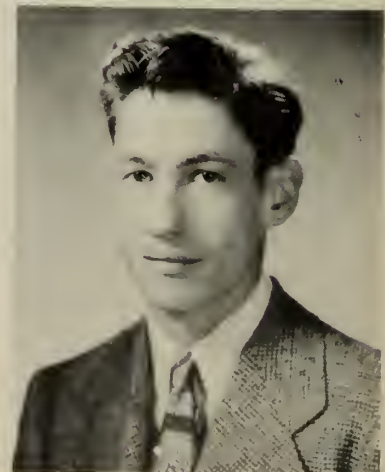
RICHARD WENDELL SEARS

Dick

"Je ne sais pas." . . . a "Boone" companion of Cuyler Caldwell . . . a man's man . . . the silent type . . . a hunter of the woods and waters . . .

Future plans: College. Transfer from Northampton, Mass., 2.

February 3, 1930



MILDRED ELIZABETH SHUMWAY

Betty

a Power's Shop model . . . the neat black hair . . . "Haven't I seen you somewhere before?" — undoubtedly in the library . . .
Future plans: undecided. Clubs: Tri-S, 3.
Music: Chorus, 1.

October 16, 1929



RICHARD BURTON SMITH

Dick

the quiet boy from Technical with a "Bee" in his bonnet . . . "My car is my refuge" . . .
Future plans: Electrical Engineer. Sports: Football, 3; "A", 3. Transfer from Technical, Springfield, Mass., 3.

August 18, 1928

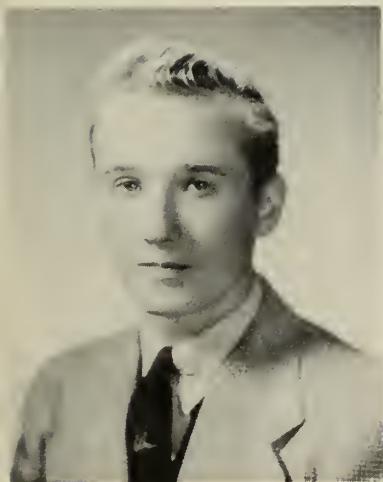


EDITH STRATFORD

Edith

she leads a quiet life . . . tall and dark . . . a slow, friendly smile . . . lover of basketball? . . . "still waters run deep" . . .
Future plans: Secretary.

December 11, 1928



JOHN STEVEN SZYMKOWICZ

Sinky

Sink and Smack together . . . "Aw, don't bother me" . . . appreciates the scenery while working at Mass. State . . . a little shyness . . .
Future plans: Farm.

March 18, 1927



RICHARD GALLUP TILLSON

Dick

Oh, that baseball slugger!! . . . tall and lanky . . . "Dude" . . . four eyes . . . the leader of the bass section . . .
Future plans: undecided. Transfer from Deerfield Academy, 3.

December 21, 1928



FLORENCE TOCZYDLOWSKI

Tocz

another office gal . . . one of many colors . . .
singing those furlough blues . . . a cheery
word for all . . . what a car! . . .

Future plans: Nurse. Clubs: Tri-S, 1,2,3.
Music: Chorus, 3. Goldbug: 3.

March 25, 1930



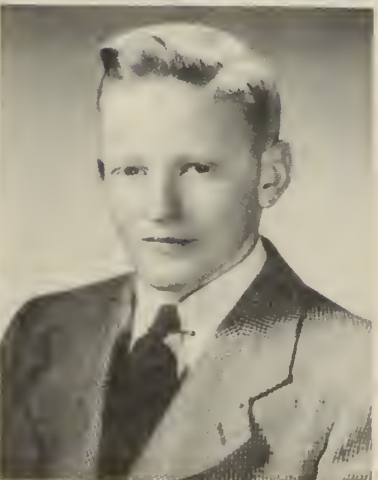
BARBARA FRANCES WARNE

Barb

woman of the world . . . a high outlook on
life . . . the economist . . . finds Amherst
College most suitable for her needs . . .

Future plans: College. Clubs: Social Studies,
1,3; Tri-S, 1,3; Outing, 1; Debating, 1,3; Pro-
Merito, 3; French, 3; Student Council, 1.
Graphic: 1,3, business manager, 1. Junior
year at New London, Conn.

August 19, 1929



THEOREN WARNER

Red

the little man with the big sense of humor
. . . infected by that exhilarating air of
Sunderland . . . mathematically-minded . . .

Future plans: undecided. Clubs: Hi-Y, 2.

August 20, 1929



MARJORIE ELIZABETH WHEELER

Marjorie

good taste in clothes . . . a polite maiden of
few words . . . a shy, sweet personality . . .
cute and composed . . .

Future plans: undecided.

July 1, 1928



FRANK LEONARD WHITCOMB

Frank

the Cottage Street gang . . . observer of
technicalities . . . quiet intelligence . . . a
future pioneer in new fields of radio . . .

Future plans: College. Clubs: Projectionists,
1,2,3, treas., 3; Air Scouts, 1,2,3, scribe, 1,2;
Student Council, 1.

April 10, 1929

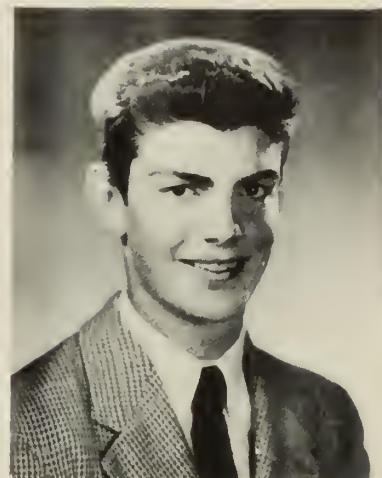
EARL DONALD WHITE

"Tiger"

Miss Sayce's star art student . . . a happy-go-lucky guy with the desire for fun . . . quiet on the surface . . .

Future plans: Navy. Clubs: Hi-Y, 2, 3. Sports: Basketball, 1; Football, 2,3; "A", 3, manager, 3.

May 10, 1929



MARILYN WHITE

marilyn

a gal with changeable ideas . . . the math wizard . . . a colorful wardrobe to match her personality . . . many friends made quickly . . .

Future plans: College. Clubs: Tri-S, 3; Jr. Red Cross, 3. Sports: girls' sports, 3. Transfer from Classical High, Springfield, Mass., 3.

April 7, 1930



WILLIAM BRADFORD WORTHLEY

Bill

around and around goes his watch chain . . . a frank idea presented with zest . . . try, try, again . . . on top of the world . . .

Future plans: undecided. Sports: Basketball, 1,2,3; "A", 2,3; Football, 2,3; "A", 3; Baseball, 2,3; "A", 2,3. Goldbug: 3, business manager.

August 26, 1928



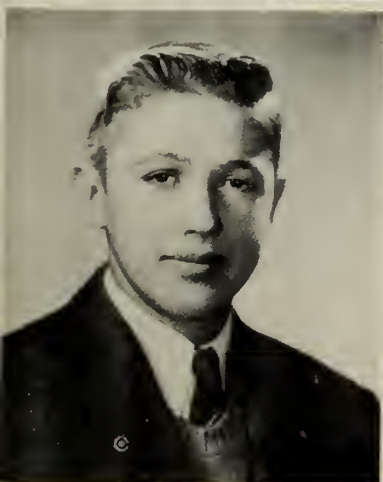
LEONARD FELIX ZIMNOWSKI

"Zimmie"

handy man with a tractor . . . a cute, devilish smile . . . a rugged guy . . . let come what may . . .

Future plans: undecided.

November 19, 1929





M. Cooke



GORDON BENJAMIN BRIDGES

Brig

Class of '45, returned to Amherst High, for a refresher course, after serving in the Army. He left early in March, and is now a taxi driver. July 17, 1927

LESLIE GLENN BRIDGES

Les

Has seen military service in the Paratroopers since his graduation from Easthampton High School in 1944. Les was editor of the "Ripcord" while in Hokkaido, Northern Japan, for ten months and his next move is to the Boston University School of Business Administration. November 3, 1926

MARIE CHRISTINE COOKE

Cookie

Graduated from Amherst High School in 1946. She plans to make Bridgewater Normal School her next stop. October 8, 1927

BARBARA FRANCE

Barbie

Was with last year's graduating class here at Amherst High, and she plans to enter Massachusetts State College in the fall of 1947. December 23, 1928

JOHN LEONARD MADDEN

John

Was with the U. S. Navy for twenty months. Much of this time was spent in Texas checking over and refueling planes for the aviation branch of our blue jacket boys. February 22, 1927

EDWARD JOHN MIENTKA

John

Spent twenty-seven months overseas with the armored division of the U. S. Army. His European travels included stops in Scotland, England, France, Belgium, Luxembourg, and Germany. This guy has really been around, hasn't he? February 5, 1923

WILLIAM ALBERT MOORE

Bill

During his fifteen months in the U. S. Navy, saw Oklahoma, Florida, and Maryland. Bill served as an aircraft mechanic with the Combat Air Crew.
June 6, 1927

ARTHUR BUTMAN PICKERING

Pick

Spent part of his seventeen months in the Navy cruising around the Mariana Islands. The South Pacific is all right, but here's one carpenter's mate that's glad to be back home.
February 1, 1927

BETTE WOODWAID RINGUETTE

Bet

Graduated from Norton (Mass.) High School in 1946 and came here with her husband who is studying at Amherst College. Bette's future plans include college somewhere in this vicinity.
December 2, 1928

GEORGE JOSEPH SELANIS

Burno

Won the war in Texas with the aviation branch of the U. S. Naval Reserve. His duties as a mechanic included repairing and overhauling engines as well as testing them on the ground and in the air. George's next stop is the American Optical Company.
May 20, 1926

HENRY WZIONTKA

Hank

In the U. S. Navy for twenty-seven months at first as an aviation mechanic and later as a gun crew member of an aircraft carrier. His greatest ambition for the future is to sit under a tree fondling a membership card in the 52-20 Club.
January 12, 1926

In Memorium



WILLIAM ALBERT MOORE

The untimely death of Bill Moore in an automobile accident on April 29, 1947, brought a loss to Amherst High, felt by more than those of us who were his classmates. Bill had returned from fifteen months of military service to complete his high school career and would have graduated in June. Much could be said about Bill; his zest for life, his cheerfulness, his friendliness. Memory of all that he gave to us during his life will recompense, in some measure, for the Bill Moore we all loved.



MEMORIES THAT LINGER—

CLASS HISTORY

From its early beginning in the Junior High School, the group of young students who were to comprise the class of 1947 lay the cornerstone to a class history, which for many years to come will place itself "at the top". The class of 1947 was not just a huddle of high school students over-anxious with the desire to graduate, but rather a group of young people, whose first thought was to enrich the democratic tradition and renown of Amherst High School.

Most of the members of that Sophomore class are present to march across the stage of Stockbridge Hall, and needless to say, many events of the "by-gone" days of their first year in high school will be remembered by them. A young fellow from East Leverett, Malcolm Modrzakowski, full of ambition and potential leadership, was elected president of the Sophomore class. Under his able leadership, and the cooperation of the other officers, "sparkling" Louis Bias, and popular Edith McKemmie, the class of '47 began to accumulate its fame. Sophomores were taking positions on all of the first teams in sports. Malinoski, Bias, Garvey, and Correale were four such boys. 1944 saw the organization of a few ambitious sophomores into a new debating team, full of spirit and ideas. The class did well in dramatics also. Any denial of this would be in complete disregard of the fine performances of Iris Bain, Joan France, Marilyn Montague, and "Sig" Odegard in "Curses, the Villain is Foiled", in the one-act play contest of April; and the fine acting and humor shown by John Canavan, "Sig" Odegard, and Fred Luddy, in Mr. MacKillop's "never to be forgotten" musical comedy, "The Grass is Always Greener". By the spring of 1945, which saw the defeat of the Nazis in Europe, and the slow but definite decline of Japanese power in the Far East, Amherst High School made many contributions in money and in spirit to the great fight for freedom. It was at this time, that the class of 1947 was well recognized as the potential storehouse of new and greater contributions to A.H.S. history, and to the country at large.

This recognition of service and ambition was to become more and more apparent, as most of the same young people returned as Juniors in the fall of 1945. Not just the war in Europe, but the war against all the free peoples of the world was proclaimed at an end. Ambition now turned to the struggle for peace. In the little community of Amherst, no responsibility for participation was greater than that of the students, more definitely the seniors of 1946, who graduated into this world of diplomatic strife. As members of '47 bade "good luck" to these graduates, their own thoughts turned not to the remote corners of the peace-making nations, but rather to the problems of better education and cleaner sports. Amherst High became a small but highly important proving ground for the high ideals which were being set in motion the world over. Not insignificant and local were the student's problems, but *essentially* important and far-reaching.

"Sports" was the big name in the fall of '45 and football was first on the list in this popular phase of school life. The class of '47 offered many of its athletes to that strong eleven of Coach Williams, which toppled Northampton, 14-6. The trend toward, and the leadership in, dramatics was growing constantly, and in "Little Women" several of the class's drama-bound members: John DeRose, Joan Davenport, John Larson, Ann Elder, Jane Cavanaugh, Jane Jewett, Fred Luddy, and Dorothy Blair, contributed to a performance of this popular play,

which was recognized by many as the finest Junior Class Play ever presented. All these early events followed the ballot campaign and election of class officers. John (J. F.) Canavan was elected president with Hubert Bell and Edith McKemie serving in the posts of Vice-President, and Secretary-Treasurer respectively. Debating resumed once more, and the local team did well in the Connecticut Valley League. The great event in sports, however, was that sudden bounce of the basketball. The remarkable team of that year not only captured the Hampshire League title, but in sportsmanlike manner nearly won the Western Mass. Tournament at M.S.C. Bias, Malinoski, Garvey, Matusko, Correale, Worthley, and Drake were playing their best for old dear A.H.S. After this highly successful season, the trend toward learning was in the spotlight, and the announcement of new Pro-Merito members was a pleasing one to many of the class of '47. In the spring came another fine dramatic production. This time it was "The Day is Bright", by Norman Myrick, a former A.H.S. faculty-member. This performance saw the "old faithfuls" and a newcomer, Bob Garrabrants, making the show a gladdening success. Sports loomed high once again as the "Hurricanes" won the baseball title in the Hampshire League. This game saw the last participation in Amherst High athletics by Louis Bais. "Lou" with his speed, smile, and love of sports, had made an enviable record on the fields and in the gyms of many schools. Before the end of the school year Helen Mieczkowski won first prize in a nationwide bookkeeping contest, and Hugh Bell and Fred Luddy were elected to attend Boys State. '47 was a class becoming more and more acclaimed. The class was a tower of leadership in sports, and in scholastic achievement.

The finale of greatness and recognition came in the senior year, when with a joyful opening, the class started doing "great things" once more. In the early fall of 1946 "Mike" Garvey won first prize in a state-wide "C. A. P.t" essay contest. John Malinoski and Edie McKemie were leading the HI-Y and TRI-S respectively, with their clubs' motto of "higher living" in mind at all times. The ever-smiling Marilyn Montague was elected class president and towering Carley Matusko was chosen as Vice-President. Edie McKemie, who had been Secretary-Treasurer for the previous two years, was heartily re-elected. In sports, the hard fighting football team had the stalwarts of '47 back again. "Bill" Clark led the team to a 19-6 triumph over the old rival, Northampton. The seniors made another thrust into dramatics, as John Canavan and Fred Luddy snatched up leads in the Junior play, "Out of the Frying Pan". Debating shared the spotlights also, and in this year, 1946, the team really "went to town". The swimming team under "Joe" Rogers, took many "firsts," as Hugh Bell, Pat Kennedy, and Mitch Jacque never hesitated to break records in many of the meets. Ben Kightlinger became president of Pro-Merito, as seniors were steadfastly becoming members. "Gold Bug" work was at a peak now, and with Dottie Blair and Hugh Bell as co-editors, the year book of the class of 1947 was "taking shape."

With the coming of spring, interclass plays topped all news, as the "stars" of the class of '47 offered one of the best drama productions yet, in "Jinxed". A small cast comprised of John Larson, John Canavan, Robert Garrabrants, Ann Elder, and Fred Luddy, made the performance a meritable and memorable one.

As a final offering in the sports field, Garvey Drake, Mosakewicz, Worthley, and Correale were back again, bedecked in baseball uniforms. The season was a favorable one and a fine climax to the high school sports careers of many of the class athletes.

In years which saw the end of a great war and the birth of an atom-conscious civilization, the class of 1947 took its place on the list of graduating classes. As a small but important part of the "world of tomorrow", the students left a bulwark of acclaim to their school--"nobler and better than all other schools, Amherst, oh here's to you!!"

WHO'S WHO

Boy who has done most for A.H.S.
 Girl who has done most for A.H.S.
 Most respected boy
 Most respected girl
 Most all-around boy
 Most all-around girl
 Boy with most pleasing personality
 Girl with most pleasing personality
 Most promising boy
 Most promising girl
 Most popular boy
 Most popular girl
 Best mixer — boy
 Best mixer — girl
 Best looking boy
 Best looking girl
 Cutest boy
 Cutest girl
 Quietest boy
 Quietest girl
 Most talkative boy
 Most talkative girl
 Wittiest boy
 Wittiest girl
 Cheeriest boy
 Cheeriest girl
 Most bashful boy
 Most bashful girl
 '47's smoothest dancer — boy
 '47's smoothest dancer — girl
 Class writer — boy
 Class writer — girl
 Class athlete — boy
 Class athlete — girl
 Class actor
 Class actress
 Class vocalist
 Class artist
 Class clown
 Class dude
 Class king of Corn

Student Choice

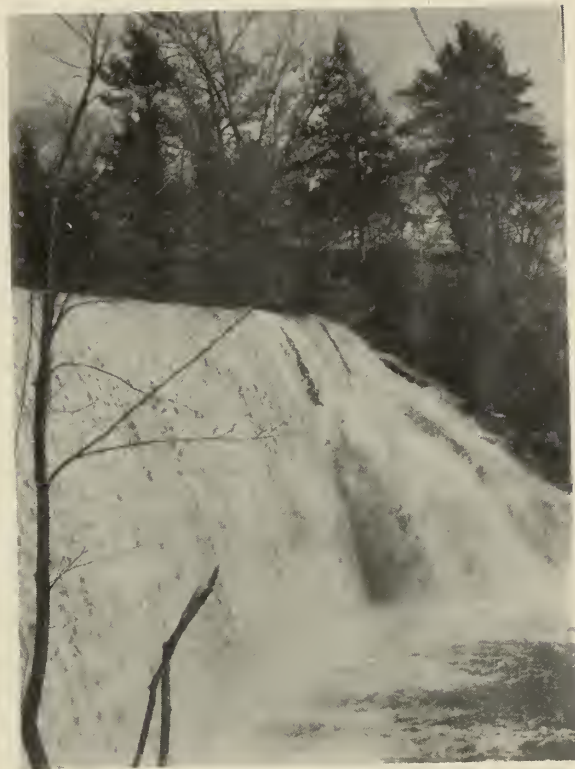
Fred Luddy
 Edie McKemmie
 Lou Bias
 Joan France
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 Marilyn Montague
 Ben Kightlinger
 Ann Elder
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 Edie McKemmie
 Bill Worthley
 Edie McKemmie
 Donald Aldrich
 Sally Cutler
 Reed Govers
 Ann Elder
 Ben Kightlinger
 Joan Bailey
 Mike Mahar
 Marie Joy
 Fred Luddy
 Marie Joy
 Bill Worthley
 Marianthy Andrews
 Dick Sears
 Joan Bailey
 Bill Moore
 Sally Cutler
 Fred Luddy
 Joan Davenport
 Lou Bias
 Priscilla Hummel
 Fred Luddy
 Marilyn Montague
 Barbara Prince
 Joan France
 John Canavan
 Herman Correale
 Hugh Bell

Teacher Choice

Hugh Bell
 Edie McKemmie
 Hugh Bell
 Edie McKemmie
 Hugh Bell
 Marilyn Montague
 John Malinoski
 Priscilla Pearl
 Ben Kightlinger
 Connie Petroski
 John Malinoski
 Edie McKemmie
 Fred Luddy
 Mary Ellen Pappas
 Emory Grayson
 Ann Elder
 Reed Govers
 Ann Elder
 Frank Whitcomb
 Joan Bailey
 Charlie Drake
 Marilyn Montague
 John Canavan
 Marie Joy
 Malcolm Modrzakowski
 Marilyn Montague
 Red Warner
 Joan Bailey
 John Larson
 Sally Cutler
 Fred Luddy
 Joan Davenport
 Lou Bias
 Helen Mieczkowski
 Fred Luddy
 Marilyn Montague
 Marilyn Montague
 Joan France
 Mike Mahar
 Herman Correale
 John Canavan



by D. Lacroix



by F. Cole



by D. Lacroix



CLASS WILL

Greg Aldrich leaves his curly hair to Amanda Rogers.

Mud Andrews leaves a free check book at the Greeks for every patron in the class of '48.

Joan Bailey leaves her sister Marilyn singing, "It all comes back to *me* now".

Marjorie Ball leaves Miss Hale's Commercial Law Class--unhappily?

Hugh Bell leaves his swimming trunks to Joe Rogers III.

Lou Bias leaves a battered football helmet, a worn, third-baseman's glove, and a pair of soleless sneakers.

Dottie Blair bequeaths the end of the Blair tradition to her sister, Bobbie.

John "J. F." Canavan leaves more than one broken desk.

Jane Cavanaugh leaves the "*Graphic*" to the new editors.

Walter Cislo leaves an empty seat on the bus to Shutesbury.

Bill Clark leaves a "Kilroy was here" sign on the Northampton football field.

John Connelly leaves for Smith College, hunting perfect subjects for camera-shooting.

Herm Correale leaves the freshman girls broken-hearted.

Frances and Louella Coyne leave their pictures in the puzzle department for the underclassmen to figure out which is which.

Jeanette Crump leaves a Symposium of alto swing in the music room.

Dick Cushman leaves the Quabbin Reservoir to the Amherst Water department.

Sally Cutler leaves her date book to Fritz Cornelius.

Joan Davenport leaves her allergy of mistletoe to Betsy Goding.

John Doherty leaves with "Sinkie" close behind.

Barbara Donoghue leaves her red hair to Bob Balise.

Red Drake leaves the athletic field pretty well torn up.

Gene Drosdal leaves her hair-do to Catherine Hepburn.

Ann Elder leaves a ton of coal to Les Ward.

Jack Ennis leaves his car home every time he goes out.

Joan France leaves the "*Graphic*" in a state of honor and acclaim.

Lil Frost leaves her "extra curricular" activities to Jane Klein.

Bob Garrabrants leaves in his merry Oldsmobile.

Mike Garvey bequeaths a "curve" to "Baby" Hasbrouck.

Peg Gordon leaves her "drags" to Ed Conklin.

Reed Govers leaves a dozen roses to Miss Oldfield.

Peg Grady leaves a succession of fellas behind her.

Emory Grayson leaves his "Cottage Street Cannonball" in need of repair.

Libby Green leaves the "Triangle Street Garage" to Jim Tague for any future accidents.

Dot Haskins leaves in a two-tone Chrysler with a certain fellow from North Amherst.

Ethel Hawley leaves her September copy of "Living Chemistry" to Mr. Swift.

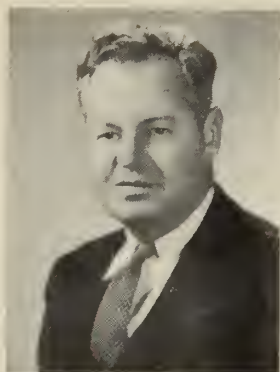
Susan Heath leaves her temper to Ralph Wood.
 Rudy Hrynshyn leaves his first row chemistry seat to Kitty Hughes for Mr. Swift's appreciation.
 Pris Hummel leaves her basketball ability to Joan Bridges.
 Mitch Jacque leaves the patent for his wax-paper radio tubes to B. O. Hartman.
 Marjorie Jantz leaves two tickets on the "Leverett Limited" to Phyllis Williams and the bus driver.
 Jane Jewett leaves her tarzan suit to Debby Taylor.
 Virginia Johansson leaves her jolly smile to Cuyler Caldwell.
 Priscilla Jones leaves her patience with knitting needles to Miss Donley.
 Marie Joy--from Amherst High to Amherst College.
 Grace Kellogg leaves for Battle Creek, Michigan.
 Ben Kightlinger leaves his report card to the Smithsonian Institute.
 Irene Kokoski leaves her broad smile to "Stud" Thayer.
 Dorothy Kolasinski leaves her friendly manner to Don Bradley.
 Elsie Kozlosky leaves her sweet and lovely smile to Janet Britton.
 John Larson leaves his hand in the "chem lab". Finder please return to 50 North Whitney Street.
 Joan Lashway leaves a certain junior boy from North Amherst to her sisters.
 Harry Lauder leaves his ability to sneak "drugs" to Eddie Lyman.
 Fred Luddy leaves his orange shirt to Miss Hale.
 Francis Lyman leaves his Du-Barry kit in the wastebasket.
 Robert MacLeary leaves with his supreme accomplishment--"inhaling".
 Teddy Madden leaves his sense of humor to any underclassmen who could use it at "exam" time.
 Mike Mahar leaves Miss Field still taking attendance in Room 8.
 John Malinoski leaves the girls and Coach Williams in a "daze".
 Mary Marcinowski leaves her I. Q. to Janet Stoughton.
 Alberta Marvell leaves with her head full of Miss Hale's helpful suggestions.
 Carley Matuszko leaves his sports uniforms to John Mannheim
 Frances McKeeman bequeaths a smile to each male member of the class of '48.
 Edie McKemmie leaves for higher elevation--namely Pelham.
 Helen Mieczkowski leaves the basketball team minus a star.
 Malcolm Modrzakowski leaves saying, "Just call me Malcolm."
 Marilyn Montague leaves--(giggling).
 Charles Masakewicz leaves his shotgun to Coach Williams.
 Frances Mueller wills her soft voice to Bob Stedman.
 Jack Neylon leaves his tall tales to John Thies.
 Jerry Ostrowski leaves his trucking business to "Bev" Parrott.
 Mary Ellen Pappas leaves her finished French homework to--(now wouldn't Miss Keough like to know!)
 Kathleen Patnaude leaves enough theater tickets to set up a new business in the detention room.
 Marion Pease leaves a chart of her family tree in the school files.
 Priscilla Pearl leaves her soda-selling technique to Russell's Package Store.
 Connie Petroski leaves a suggestion in the Student Council suggestion box.
 Annette Picotte and Helen Sacco leave for the South Amherst square dance.
 Irene Potyrala leaves her cute pug nose to Bobbie Blair.

Barbara Prince leaves her baton to the study hall teachers.
Monk Rice leaves his harmonica to Mr. Hathaway.
Peggy Russell leaves her big brown eyes to Mr. Shaw.
Harriet Sanctuary leaves on her bicycle--.
Ruth Anne Schoonmaker leaves a travelog to Carol Orell so that she might find her way off the beaten track to Pelham.
Dick Sears leaves a gallon of water in Miss Keough's gas tank.
Betty Shumway leaves to become a "Powers" model, with her sister Mary as advisor.
Dick Smith leaves "Minnie" to "Muck".
Edith Stratford leaves without a word of departure.
Richard Tillson leaves his booming voice to Joan Cox.
Florence Toczydlowski leaves for the Navy.
Barbara Warne presents a pamphlet on the art of intelligence to Dave Potter.
Red Warner leaves in a car of the same color.
Marjorie Wheeler leaves an echo of soft footsteps in the corridors of A.H.S.
Frank Whitcomb leaves his strong silent manner to Mr. Perry.
Earl White leaves his manager jersey to George Perry.
Marilyn White leaves her Amherst High diploma to Classical.
William Worthley leaves a box of cigars and a muffler to Miss Hale.
Leonard Zimnowski leaves the Sunderland Bridge to Mr. Moore.





SHOWING THE WAY —



MR. KINGSLEY A. PERRY
Principal
King, castle and keys.



MISS RUTH L. BROWN
English
A friend to her students . . . smiling eyes.



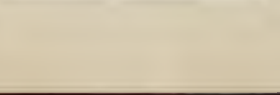
MISS VENILA B. COLSON
Music
"People, we have a lot to do."



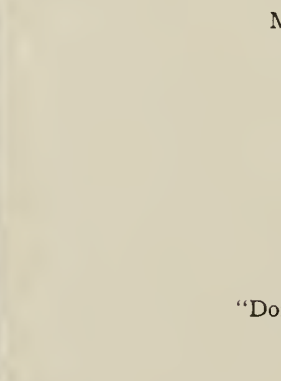
MR. ROBERT H. DOMINA
Industrial Arts
A high outlook.



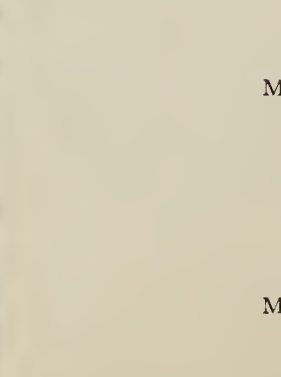
MISS BETTY JANE DONLEY
Latin, Greek
Enthusiastic expression . . . a twinkle in her eye.



MRS. BARBARA T. DUTTON
English
Forever a smile.

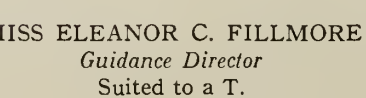


MISS ISABEL C. FIELD
Social Studies
"Don't leave until I take attendance."



MISS ELEANOR C. FILLMORE
Guidance Director
Suited to a T.

MISS ELIZABETH M. FOLEY
Commercial
"Sixty words a minute."



MRS. MARJORIE P. GROUT

Home Economics

Woman about the house.



MISS IRENE E. HALE

Commercial

"Thumbs down for silence."



MISS MARJOLAINE A. KEOUGH

French

Petite, "n'est-ce pas?"



MR. DONALD S. LACROIX

Biology

A brisk "'morning everybody."



MR. HOLLIS W. MOORE

Industrial Arts

Always a smile and an answer.



MISS SHIRLEY R. MORRISSEY

Commercial

Just five feet, topped with red hair.



MISS PRISCILLA J. NAGLE

Physical Education

Sportsmanship, ability, personality.



MISS RUTH A. OLDFIELD

Mathematics

"You must study, people."

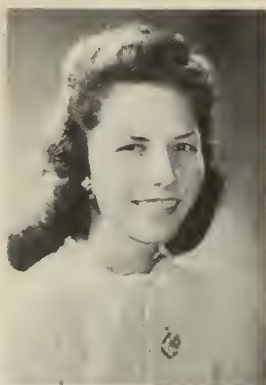


MR. CLIFFORD N. OLIVER

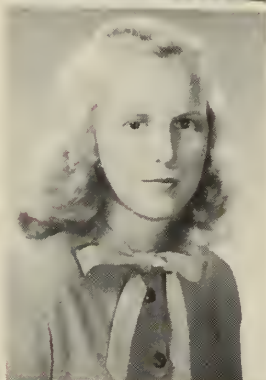
Mathematics, Physics

Teachers' raises at last.





MISS DOROTHY I. ORRELL
Secretary
 An encyclopedia of telephone numbers.



MISS MARY H. PETERSON
Home Economics
 "A stitch in time saves nine."



MISS EDITH L. PINNICK
Physical Education
 "Just one penny more, please."



MISS BARBARA P. SAYCE
Art
 "When a girl marries."



MR. DONALD H. SHAW
History, Modern Problems
 "We'd better shove on."



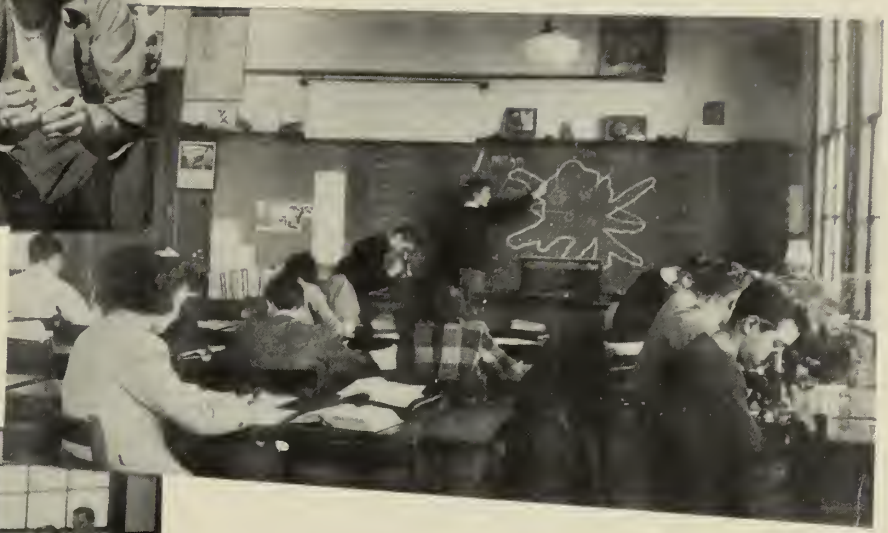
MR ARTHUR L. SWIFT
Chemistry
 "There is no substitute for study."

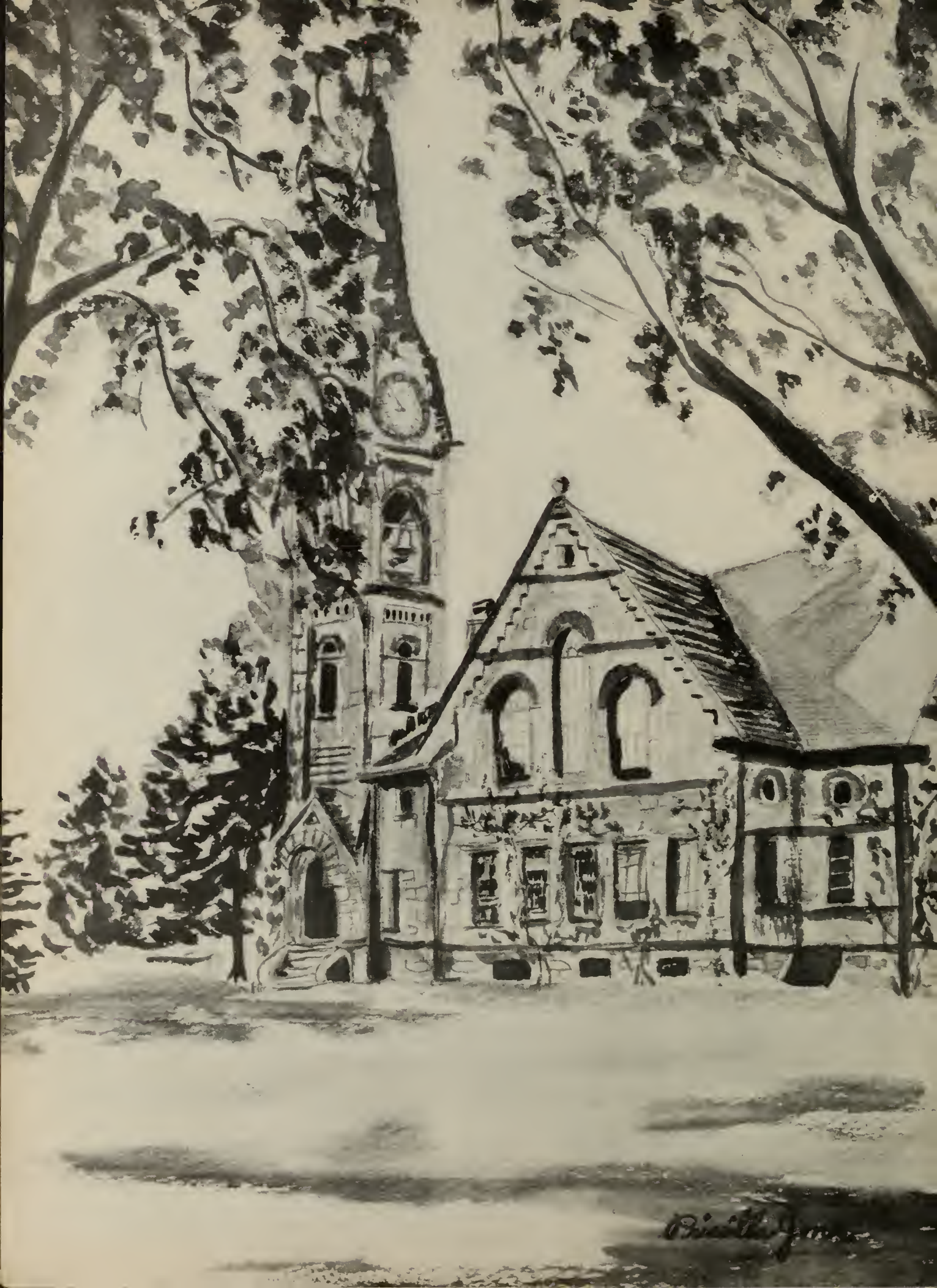


MISS SHIRLEY M. THAYER
English
 Our fun-loving WAC.



MR. GEORGE E. WILLIAMS
Coach, Physical Education
 "No smoking, boys."





B. J. Jones

ON THE WAY UP —



JUNIOR CLASS

- First Row:* A. Messier, I. Cashman, B. Baj, A. Kolasinski, N. Kessler, M. Higgins, B. Wysk, E. Moran, R. Stedman, B. Reynolds, C. Orrell, M. Brown, D. Gibson, L. Puffer, C. Lindsey, D. Taylor, E. Fitts, K. Hepburn, E. Salle.
- Second Row:* Mr. Lacroix, S. Bridges, C. Anderson, E. Gurwitz, N. Mellen, J. Davenport, R. Balise, P. Wheeler, R. Stratford, R. Allen, W. Hartman, L. Plaza, M. Rouleau, J. Sherman, R. Rehn, M. Halladay, M. Kellogg, J. Wanczyk.
- Third Row:* J. Fellers, A. Koblinski, E. Henry, R. Bartos, C. Caldwell, W. Hassan, J. Klein, R. Truesdell, B. Goding, C. Hasbrouck, J. Doubleday, R. Carey.
- Fourth Row:* N. Bruce, G. Knightly, G. Mason, E. Utley, B. Jacque, C. Maiewski, K. Hughes, R. Stedman, H. Thayer, R. Kowaleck.
- Fifth Row:* W. Archibald, B. Howkins, R. Wales, N. Montgomery, C. Randolph, B. Parrott, D. Bradley.
- Sixth Row:* F. Kozikowski, D. Cary, A. Krol, J. Thies, J. Robins, R. Yurkevicz, R. Mitchell, J. Ellis, J. Waskiewicz, D. Potter, D. Morrill, E. Conklin, D. Smith.
- Seventh Row:* F. McKeeman, W. Hanks, S. Coffin, J. Tague, G. Perry, A. Rossi, R. Vondell, R. Wood.

CLASS OF 1948

When the students of the class of 1948 entered as sophomores their spirit and enthusiasm, both in scholastic and extra-curricular activities, was recognized by everyone as a sound basis for rapid success and great contribution to the school—it was a class of leaders. The members of '48 have filled the honor roll as well as the sports' calendar, the play bills, the membership lists of all clubs, the Student Council, the cheerleading team, the Graphic staff, and the band and orchestra. They have always chosen their leaders wisely, for the positions of president, vice-president, and secretary-treasurer in their sophomore year were filled by Bill Archibald, Joe Waskiewicz, and Eleanor Moran. In their junior year they showed the same thought and appreciation for ability with Bev Reynolds president, Dick Stedman vice-president, and Carol Orrell secretary-treasurer. This junior class has contributed so much to the school spirit of A.H.S. that the class of 1947 is proud to bequeath its positions as seniors to the class of 1948.

The class of 1949 was already well-known as a group of responsible and spirited students upon its entrance as part of the high school body. It seemed to contain wizards as well as wits, and its outstanding quality was the way its members were able to stick together in all organizations and activities. Both boys and girls joined in the sports' parade, and backing their efforts were the cheerleaders and members of the band. Their names decked the honor roll as proof of their scholastic ability. That they also contributed to the work of the Graphic staff, dramatic circles, and many organizations and clubs of A.H.S., is further evidence of their responsible and willing attitude. A show of intelligence appeared in their choice of class officers, who represented their classmates honestly and responsibly. Walter Cutler was chosen president, Helen Kozikowski vice-president, and Henry Boulanger secretary-treasurer. This group of students looks forward to its years as a junior and then a senior class as it continues to uphold standards of A.H.S. and carve its own design in the history of our school.



FRESHMAN CLASS

- First Row:* W. Kinder, H. Ames, B. Waddington, M. Lashway, F. Douglass, S. Sanders, J. Roche, B. Hawley, M. Olanyk, H. Boulanger, H. Kozikowski, W. Cutler, C. Hawthorne, J. Jackson, M. Hart, V. Marcinowski, B. Whitcomb, B. Lashway, N. Sears, V. Bacon, D. Moat.
- Second Row:* Miss Oldfield, F. Holden, N. Madden, E. Murray, W. Magoon, B. Hawley, M. Lovett, J. Aldrich, R. Mannett, A. Sabot, R. Avery, R. Johnson, J. Rogers, P. Eddy, N. Davis, D. Wheeler, O. Flint, A. McKeeman, J. Stoughton, P. Jacque, C. Govers.
- Third Row:* P. Petroski, B. Rose, M. Bailey, B. Ostrowski, H. Wysocki, M. Lapachinski, J. Lashway, V. Wheeler, M. Dorsey, J. Bridges, A. Rogers, P. Mitchell, I. Morton.
- Fourth Row:* J. Richardson, B. Benoit, B. Anderson, C. Rozicki, W. Paige, G. Evans, D. Lozoski, W. Downing, F. Rehorka, C. LeClair, D. Damon, W. Garrison, D. Ross.
- Fifth Row:* W. Cornelius, D. Tenney, J. Stronach, C. Childs, J. Tibbetts, D. Drake, H. Allen, D. Clark, A. Wysocki, M. Barry, S. Jacque, B. Rockwell, B. Blair, B. Cobbs, D. Blundell, A. Whitcomb.
- Sixth Row:* D. Snyder, C. Kolasinski, H. Tillson, J. Mannheim, S. Roberts, W. Jarvis, E. Horst, R. Wentworth, T. Welch, C. Thacher, R. Watts, D. Madden, B. Joy.
- Seventh Row:* V. Giannetti, A. Lucas, S. Kielbasa, E. Lyman, M. Gustin, W. Feldman, M. Gustin, K. Moser, D. Swift, G. Stutzman, A. Johnson.

CLASS OF 1949 -







FELLOWS, ALL –



Well, here we are, what's left of us! Through our countless meetings with our advisers, Miss Brown and Miss Sayce, and under the able direction of our co-editors, Hugh Bell and Dottie Blair, and our business managers, Peggy Grady and Bill Worthley, we hope this publication is worthy to have "our town" its theme and have you its readers.

GOLDBUG

First Row: France, Schoonmaker, Worthley, Bell, Grady, Davenport, Connelly

Second Row: Miss Brown, Andrews, Gordon, Bias, Elder, Miss Sayce

Third Row: Cutler, Haskins, Hummel, Patnaude.

First Row: Elder, Warne, Bell, Luddy, Miss Thayer, France, Davenport, Pappas, Schoonmaker.

Second Row: Montague, Balise, Allen, Lyman, Caldwell, Cutler, Kozlosky, Mannett, Cavanaugh.

Third Row: Jones, Hummel, Donoghue, Damon, Horst, Parrott, Blundell, Goding.

"All assignments will be due on Monday" is the optimistic instruction given by Joan France and Fred Luddy, the co-editors. Despite difficulties of one sort or another, there have been seven fine issues during the year under the guidance of Miss Thayer and Mr. Oliver, and the members of the staff have also supplied their services to sell soft drinks at the home games. Versatile, aren't they?

THE GRAPHIC



PRO MERITO

This honor organization under the advis-
ship of Miss Oldfield and led by Ben Kight-
linger as president, has added several new
faces to its number during the latter part of
the year including,

Dorothy Blair
Jane Jewett
Malcolm Modrzakowski
Constance Petroski
Ruth Ann Schoonmaker
Barbara Warne
Frank Whitcomb.

The organization has sought to help un-
decided vocation-seekers by sponsoring assem-
bly programs which deal with this important
question.



PRO MERITO

First Row: Canavan, Davenport, Kightlinger, France, Elder
Second Row: Miss Oldfield, Pearl, Pappas, Jantz.

STUDENT COUNCIL

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First Row: Grady, Blundell, Wysocki, Cutler, Petroski, Pearl, Montgomery,
Howkins, Miss Donley
Second Row: Tague, Smith, Damon, Cislo, Conklin, Wood, Moser, Mitchell, Swift.



"No taxation without representation."
Well, we are lucky to have representation, and
the tax on our minds has been diminished by
the shortening of the school day, helped
through by Student Council members. With
Miss Donley as adviser; Connie Petroski, pres-
ident; Walter Cutler, vice-president; and
Priscilla Pearl, secretary, this organization has
once more headed the drives to support our
foreign orphan under the Foster Parent's Plan.



BOYS' CHORUS

What these fellows lack in numbers is amply supplied in volume! They have been a great boost to their musical sisters. Both groups are under the leadership of Miss Venila B. Colson.

First Row: Ellis, Luddy, Rice, Hartman.

Second Row: Gustin, Horst, Potter.



DEBATING

Resolved: that the Federal Government should provide complete medical aid available to all citizens at public expense. Quite a problem, isn't it? Under the coaching of Miss Brown and the leadership of Fred Luddy, president; Peggy Russell, secretary; and John Canavan, treasurer, this spirited group placed third in the Conn. Valley League. These public-minded future citizens also attended the Model Congresses at Chicopee and A.I.C., which are valuable experiences for any young person.

First Row: Elder, Petroski, Canavan, Luddy, Russell, Warne, Pearl.

Second Row: Miss Brown, Hartman, Potter, Horst, Damon, Rogers.



FRENCH CLUB

"Fermez la porte"; one of those French Club meetings is about to commence. What is behind those closed doors? It might be the whine of the movie projector, the accented voice of a speaker, or the sound of giggling students attempting a puppet show. The officers, Mary Pappas, president; Bill Hartman, vice-president; and Carolyn Randolph, secretary-treasurer, say it might even be Miss Keough singing a duet with Jean Sablon, "France's Frankie", Quelle vie!!

First Row: Jewett, Cutler, Elder, Luddy, Randolph, Pappas, Hartman, France, Warne, Andrews, Pearl.

Second Row: Miss Keough, Ames, Montague, Dorsey, Howkins, Blair, Davenport, Cornelius, Petroski, Avery, Govers, Lindsey.

Third Row: Schoonmaker, Jacque, Wales, Cobbs, Wood, Potter, Cary, Parrott, Montgomery, Bradley, Utey.



JR. RED CROSS

Through the efforts of Miss Oldfield and the home room representatives, this year's drive was a great success. By vote of the contributors, the fund was used for buying Christmas gifts for servicemen on the high seas or for use at Leeds and Westover. It was through this organization that the French Christmas pageant was given at the Westover veteran's hospital.

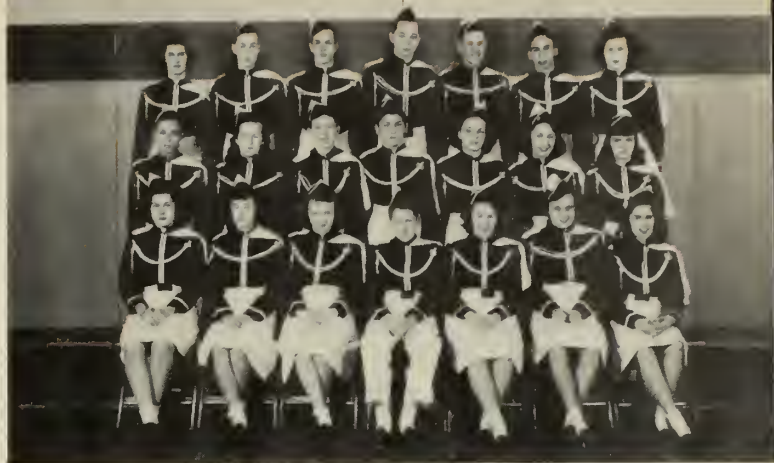
First Row: L. Coyne, F. Coyne, Miss Oldfield, White, Pease.

Second Row: McKeeman, Hasbrouck, Stronach, Blundell, Rouleau, Klein.

BAND

This musical group made a good showing for Amherst High during our football season whatever the weather, and it was pretty rough at times. Mr. Wilfred B. Hathaway was succeeded as leader by Alan Campbell, who led the band in their performance at the Small School Tournament held here at Mass. State.

- First Row:* Lindsey, Rouleau, Rose, Cole, Pease, Gibson, Brown.
Second Row: Hartman, S. Montgomery, Messier, Anderson, R. Horst, Goding, Rogers.
Third Row: Blundell, Wood, Ellis, E. Horst, Cary, Wentworth, N. Montgomery.



GIRLS' CHORUS

This large and lively group of songsters has put on two assembly programs, one of which was the annual Christmas pageant presented in French, in collaboration with that Department. The spring months saw several major performances in surrounding cities as well as here in our town.

- First Row:* Potyrala, Dorsey, Cavanaugh, Puffer, Olanyk, B. Lashway, M. Lashway, Bacon, Flebut, Hawthorne, Brown, Pease, Ames, F. Coyne, D. Blair.
Second Row: Cornelius, Jewett, Crump, Salle, S. Bridges, Aldrich, P. Petroski, J. Bailey, Higgins, Kozikowski, Toczydlowski, Hepburn, Lindsey, Gurwitz, Andrews.
Third Row: Goding, M. Bailey, Howkins, Montgomery, J. France, LeClair, Tenney, B. Blair, Schoonmaker, Utley, Shumway, Patnaude, Birge.
Fourth Row: Davenport, Cutler, Sanctuary, Eddy, Maiewski, Jacque, Ostrowski, Wanczyk, Childs, Pearl.



PROJECTIONISTS

One of these "flicker-fiends" can be found on duty each period of the day, and for major catastrophes, Mr. Swift may be summoned to the rescue. John Connelly, president; Bob Rehn, vice-president; Frank Whitcomb, secretary-treasurer; and Charlie Drake, program master, have seen a great deal of service this year and it looks as if visual education has really come to stay.

- First Row:* Sherman, Rice, Drake, Connelly, Mr. Swift, Rehn, Whitcomb, Cushman, Thayer.
Second Row: Murray, Johnson, Giannetti, Watts, Rehorka, Rossi, Truesdell, Rogers, Hawley.
Third Row: Lyman, Whitcomb, Yurkevich, Horst, Robins, Morrill, Kennedy, Gustin.



SOCIAL STUDIES

Under the guiding hand of Mr. Shaw, this newly organized club meets every other week to discuss current problems and conditions. Perhaps the officers, Ben Kightlinger, president; Ken Moser, vice-president; and Walter Cutler, secretary-treasurer, send the group's earth-rocking decisions into the proper channels for action-taking by authorities. Have you noticed the change in U. S. foreign policy recently?

- First Row:* Avery, Warne, Moser, Kightlinger, Potter, Govers, Hart.
Second Row: Mr. Shaw, Hartman, Luddy, Cutler, Gordon.



AIR SCOUTS

These high-fliers have been guided from the control tower by Mr. Oliver and in their squadron by Hugh Bell, Squadron Pilot; John Thies, his assistant; and Bob Balise, Scribe. As well as working for rank advancement, these fellows have found time to put on an exhibit of Air Scouting material at Greenfield and to make use of the generous contribution made by Capt. Carl Wildner for more model airplane engines.

First Row: Whitcomb, Rehn, Balise, Bell, Thies, Kinder, Sherman.

Second Row: Mr. Oliver, Madden, Rehorka, Morrill, McKeeman, Damon, Johnson, Moat.



TRI S

"Oh, that old grainbag!" "I had to wash my hair five times in order to get all that vaseline out!" Such were the comments following the hilarious 1946 Tri-S initiation. The club's spring formal added success to the "Social" field of endeavor, whereas a volleyball tournament and financial aid to the Cancer Fund have fulfilled the "Sports" and "Service" "S's". It's been a grand year for the ninety odd girls who are members and their thanks are extended to Miss Keough, Miss Nagle, and Miss Sayce as advisers, and to their officers, Edith McKemmie, president; Beverly Reynolds, vice-president; Norma Davis, secretary; and Barbara Prince, treasurer.

First Row: McKeeman, White, Cavanaugh, Montague, Pease, McKemmie, Andrews, Jewett, Russell, Elder, Grady.

Second Row: Miss Sayce, Heath, Green, Kellogg, Duffy, Petroski, Pearl, Marvell, Cutler, Pappas, Davenport, Miss Keough.

Third Row: Patnaude, Shumway, J. France, B. France, Haskins, Warne, Donoghue, Hummel, Schoonmaker, Blair, Mieczkowski, Toczydlowski.



HI-Y

There are needy Europeans as well as crippled children indebted for help from this fine organization under the able leadership of John Malinoski, president; John Thies, vice-president; and Fred Luddy, secretary-treasurer, guided by Mr. Shaw. The Tri-S girls add their thanks for the swell times had by both clubs at their joint meetings.

First Row: Wood, Kightlinger, Bell, Smith, Luddy, Malinoski, Thies, Drake, Mahar, Ennis, White.

Second Row: Mr. Shaw, Hassan, Caldwell, Tague, Vondell, Bias, Coffin, Carey, Fellers, Davenport, Hartman, Sherman.

Third Row: Bradley, Selanis, Jacque, Cary, Jacque, Archibald, Garvey, Morrill, Canavan, Conklin, Ellis.



GIRLS' BASKETBALL

The girl's basketball team had a fair season, winning only 4 out of 10 games. The team was managed by Marilyn Montague and captained by Helen Mieczkowski. Marjorie Jantz, Dorothy Haskins, Peggy Grady, Priscilla Hummel will graduate this year leaving Ruth Wales, Caroline Hasbrouck, Mary Garvey, Shirley Dickinson, and Blanche Baj to carry on the record of fine sportsmanship the team has always displayed, win or lose.

First Row: Grady, Patnaude, Haskins, Jantz, Hummel, Gordon, Montague.

Second Row: Miss Nagle, Baj, Moran, Randolph, Wales, Hasbrouck, Hughes, Anderson.



GIRLS' SPORTS

While Marilyn Montague ran the wrong way with the ball, Jane Cavanaugh, looking coyly at the football squad practicing a few yards away, swiftly kicked her unwary opponent in the shins. Peg Grady and Barbara Donaghue, discussing the "Nylon" situation, stopped long enough to send the ball out of bounds.

However, in spite of a few minor misfortunes, a great many girls turned out for sports and made the season a success. Amherst High is proud indeed of her many athletic-minded Amazons, ably coached by Miss Priscilla Nagle.

Sanctuary, Andrews, Haskins, Hummel, Patnaude, Kolasinski, Pappas, Jantz, Grady, Gordon, Donoghue, Elder, Montague.

Miss Nagle, Anderson, F. Coyne, Pease, Baj, Cavanaugh, Davis, McKeeman, Stoughton, Lindsey, Ames, Sears, Roche, Hepburn.

Govers, Bridges, Blundell, Lozoski, Roberts, Cobbs, Randolph, Parrott, Wales, Cornelius, Hughes, Moran, Avery.



CHEERLEADERS

Amherst High has had a snappy, loyal group of cheerleaders this year. Headed by Barbara Donoghue and Peggy Grady, this team spurred on the boys to greater efforts. Eleanor Moran, Carol Orrell, and Beverly Reynolds made up the rest of the team. Much time and thought went into making up new cheers; many more hours into practice, but the zip, good sportsmanship, and team work made the hard work worthwhile. Surely as the boys went out to play football or basketball, the knowledge that these five zestful girls were there leading their schoolmates in lusty cheers, whether victory or defeat was their lot, must have given the players a feeling of unity, and an urge to live up to the cry of "Yeah, Amherst, Yeah, Team!" Of the many who tried out, Janet Roche, Anne McKeeman, Kitty Hughes, and Norma Davis were chosen as next year's cheerleaders.



Donohue, Orrell, Moran, Grady, Reynolds.

FOOTBALL



First Row: Matuszko, D. Stedman, Mosakewicz, Drake, Lauder, Smith, Garvey.

Second Row: Malinoski, Correale, Modrzakowski, Clark.

Third Row: White, Coach Williams.

by D. Lacroix

Although the "47" season wasn't the best, there was plenty of excitement and thrills in every game. John Malinoski and Bill Clark played an important part behind the line. Bill Worthley, Modrzakowski, and Herman Correale also played well in the backfield. That fighting line had Garvey and Matuszko at ends, Stedman and that "wildcat from Walpole", Welch, at tackle. "Chick" and Harry who played hard were at guard, with "Red" at center, backing up that line with all he had. Amherst had real sportsmanship whether on top or losing and they never gave up. Their minds were made up to take 'Hamp no matter what happened, in the best game Amherst played all season with everything clicking and 'Hamp taking the worst beating it has had since 1939, the score being Amherst 20, 'Hamp 6.

The season ended with 3 wins, 4 defeats, and 1 tie, but the team was a great one and did justice to the good name which is always a part of their clean fighting spirit.

First Row: Cary, Bradley, Snyder, Rogers, Allen, Boulanger.

Second Row: Evans, M. Jacque, Thies, Horst, A. Jacque, Bell.

Third Row: Coach Rogers.



Able coached by Joe Rogers, the Amherst High School swimming team went through its season with good material, but not enough of it, as usual. Therefore, the results were only average. One highlight was the defeat of Holyoke early in the schedule. In the Western Counties Tournament the Collegetown swimmers placed second. The high-scoring lads were "Mitch" Jacque, Joe Rogers, Jr., John Thies, "Pat" Kennedy, and "Hugh" Bell. Kennedy and Bell were forced out of action in the latter part of the season. Gilbert Bigelow, who has yet to enter high school as well as Don Bell, and Henry Boulanger, a freshman, are among scintillating young talent. Since only two men will be lost by graduation, prospects for a better year in '48 are bright.

SWIMMING

BASKETBALL

Amherst wasn't as successful as it might have been, but it had a team of real sportsmanship all year. They started off the season against Easthampton and lost 48 to 35 to a very good team as statistics will prove. Amherst had some good men this year although it took them a while to get started, but when they did they were hard to stop. There were two tall players on the team, Mike Garvey at center, Carl Matuszko at forward; and John Malinoski was high scorer. At guards were Herman Correale, that fighting junior Don Pettijohn, Bill Worthley whom we all know as "the flash," and "dapper" Red Drake. Coach Williams had a team in good condition. Amherst ended the season winning 11, losing 6.



by D. Lacroix

First Row: Garvey, Malinoski, Correale, Pettijohn, Matuszko.

Second Row: Waskiewicz, Drake, Archibald, Conklin, Worthley.

BASEBALL

The baseball season proved to be another high spot in the course of athletics for the year. Mike Garvey did most of the hurling for the "Hurricane" nine, but the other moundsmen, Hanieski and Tillson, saw some action. Tom Welch spent his time behind the plate as the other half of the battery. The infield saw Swift, Kowaleck, and Koblinski, among others, snatching up fast grounders and "Whipping" the ball around for some fast plays. The outfield had such "stand-bys" as Correale and Worthley snagging flies for that last important put-out. Because of the fact that the team had most of the veterans back from last year, the record for the season was favorable in many ways.



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Back Row: C. White, R. Tillson, J. Mannheim.

Third Row: Manager Kightlinger, H. Tillson, R. Stedman, J. Thies, W. Archibald, A. Krol, R. Watts, R. Joy, T. Welch, Coach Williams.

Second Row: W. Worthley, R. Hrynshyn, R. Yurkevich, R. Vondell, D. Swift, D. Smith.

First Row: R. Kowaleck, H. Correale, C. Mosakewicz, M. Garvey, A. Koblinski, C. Drake.



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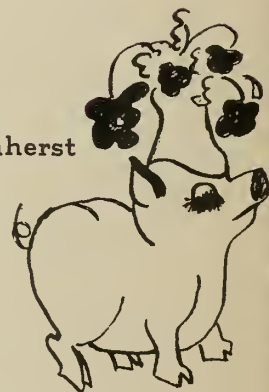
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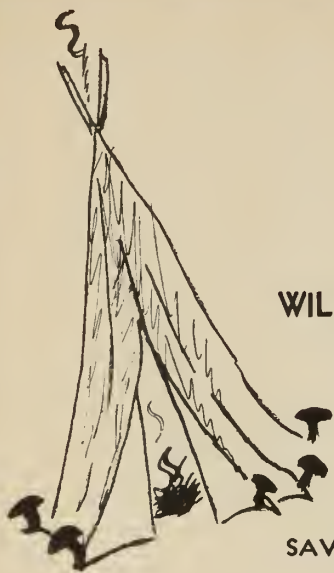
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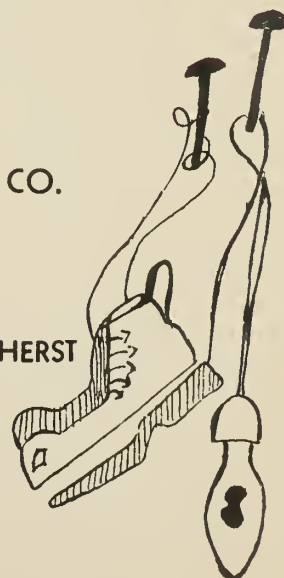
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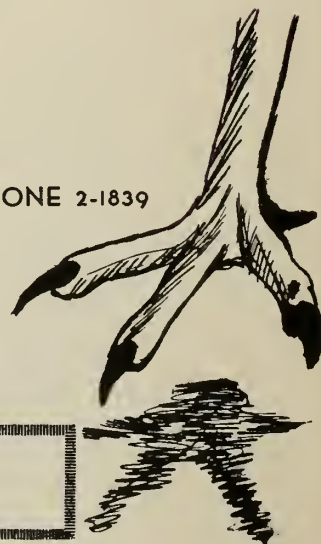
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